

LOCAL IN BRIEF.

C. N. Prouty is a visitor at the Ralney home on Eastwood Ave.

Miss Annie Todd left Wednesday for a visit to friends at Centralia.

Mrs. Mary Goodson left Thursday for a visit to friends at Garrettsville.

Judge J. H. Hunter left Wednesday for Kansas City, on legal business.

Deputy Recorder W. F. Lemmons attended court at Lexington Wednesday.

Miss Corinne Lescour, of Kansas City, is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. U. Gower.

Mrs. Matthew King, of the Shadel-ford neighborhood, was in shopping Wednesday.

Mrs. Dennis Harrison returned Friday from a visit to relatives at Bardolph, Ill.

Dr. and Mrs. D. F. Bell returned Wednesday morning from a visit to their farm at Miami.

Miss Lucy Strother, the guest of Mrs. T. E. Spencer, left this week for her home in Kentucky.

Miss Nellie Mason left Wednesday for a visit to her brother, George L. Mason, and family near Nelson.

Misses Virginia Garrett and Mamie Hennessy, of Slater, attended the Lindsey Minstrels Wednesday evening.

J. F. Jenkins, of Elk Lick, was in town Wednesday. He says they will have a big picnic at Elk Lick Springs August 22.

Leonard Williams, the old reliable carpet-man of the New York Store, has accepted a position with the Collins Wall Paper Co.

Miss Mabel Hedman returned Tuesday from a visit to Fayette. She was accompanied by Mrs. Lee Holiday, who will make a visit.

Rev. Thomas Barbee returned Thursday to his home in Palmyra, after a visit to his mother, Mrs. Medora Barbee, in this city.

Judge James Cooney left Thursday for Springfield to attend the Confederate reunion, where the unveiling of the monument takes place.

Rev. M. B. Irvine, of St. Joseph, spent several days in Marshall this week attending some real estate business and visiting relatives.

Mrs. L. J. Thompson and guest, Miss Ethel Hemphill, the guests of Wm. McMillan and family, have returned to their home in Hillsboro, Tex.

Miss Hale came up from Columbia this week to attend the meeting of the F. M. I. board Tuesday. She will be in Marshall much of the time for the next two weeks.

Mac Calloway, of Grand Pass, was in town Wednesday and says he is having fine corn for his table use now and will have a good deal of excellent corn this fall.

Miss Fannie Vawter had quite a serious attack of indigestion Saturday, which weakened her considerably, but we are glad to know that she has recovered from the attack at this writing.

Paul Baker, after a pleasant visit of several weeks to friends in this city, returned to his home in Kansas City Thursday.

The following congenial party left Friday for Green Mountain Falls, Colo., where they will spend several weeks: Misses Maud Mackay, Florine Yerby and Messrs. Josh Barbee and T. H. Hurray.

Captain Steve Price, who has been spending several days in Marshall, went down to Nelson Wednesday to attend the funeral of the late Cardwell Brethitt, which took place at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

WANTED—Man with some business ability. Salary \$50 per month and expenses; experience unnecessary, but give age and references. Address Manager Wholesale Department, Bayard Building, Kansas City, Mo. (15)

Wyan Sappington came up Tuesday night from Nelson to meet Mrs. C. Lester Hall and Miss Mary Brethitt, of Kansas City, who came in on the hummer, enroute to Nelson to attend the funeral of the late Cardwell Brethitt.

The friends of S. T. Houz and wife were glad to see their little daughter, Helen, able to ride out Tuesday evening, and, while the little one has serious indigestion yet, the changes made in her diet the past few days seem to agree with her and the family and friends are eagerly watching the results.

Miss Katherine Cordell, the guest of friends left Thursday for Kansas City, where she will spend several days, after which she will join her sisters, Misses Emily and Alice, who are visiting their parents at Prescott, Arkansas. Miss Fannie Cordell will remain for a longer visit with Marshall friends.

A Snarl

One-gallon cans of Tomatoes, 30c.
27-1m P. W. MILES.

School Money.

State Superintendent of Schools W. T. Carrington last week gave out the apportionment of the school moneys between the various counties in the state. The total amount is \$1,065,700.65. Of this \$668,922.81 is one-third of the ordinary receipts into the state revenue fund from July 1, 1900, to June 30, 1901, inclusive. The balance, except \$48, refunded from an error in the enumeration of Howell county, comes from the interest in the school fund certificates and amounts to \$185,980. A deduction of \$230.16 from the total of these three items caused by error in enumeration in Boone, Callaway, Cole, Gasconade, Harrison and Knox counties makes the amount mentioned above. The apportionment per capita, based on the school enumeration, is a fraction over \$1.10.

Below is the enumeration and amount of money received by Saline and some of our neighboring counties:

County.	Enumeration.	Apportionment.
Saline.....	10,872	\$11,708 13
Lafayette.....	9,908	\$10,807 29
Charlton.....	5,000	\$5,700 07
Howard.....	5,000	\$5,361 84
Pettis.....	10,000	\$11,272 61
Cooper.....	5,000	\$5,327 11

The White Horse

Canned Goods are better.
27-1m P. W. MILES.

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.

Climate and Crop Bulletin of the Weather Bureau, Missouri Section, for the Week Ending August 5, 1901.

Columbia, Mo., Aug. 4, 1901.—The weather during the past week has been much cooler than during the week preceding, although the mean temperature ranged from 1 to 5 degrees above the normal and maximum temperatures of 100 degrees and above occurred in most sections on the 2d and 3d. Showers have fallen over much the greater portion of the state, but have been very local, and while some districts have been favored with excellent rains, in others there was barely sufficient to lay the dust. In many localities in the western and northern sections the total rainfall for the seven days ending with August 3d ranged from 1 to over 3 inches, the heaviest rains occurring in the northern counties, but in a majority of the southeastern counties, and also in many localities in the central and southwest sections, the fall was very light, some districts receiving no rain during the week. The conditions were favorable for showers during Saturday night and Sunday, however, and late reports indicate that quite heavy rains fell in some localities.

In most of those counties where good rains have fallen late corn is much improved, and should favorable conditions continue it is believed that much of it will make a better yield than was expected. In many of the central and southern counties, however, the rains came too late to be of material benefit, except to improve the fodder, and in those districts where only light rains have fallen the crop has continued to deteriorate. Grasses are now growing again in many districts, and where the heaviest rains fell water is more plentiful, but over the greater portion of the state the rainfall has not been sufficient to materially improve pastures or furnish any great amount of stock water. Where good rains have fallen apples and peaches are improving, but in most sections the outlook for the apple crop continues very unpromising. Grapes, though badly damaged in some localities, are generally the most promising of all fruits; they have suffered less from the drouth and there is little complaint of rotting. The earlier varieties are ripening. Cotton, in the extreme southeastern counties, has improved considerably where showers have fallen; elsewhere it is firing and shedding. Where the soil has been moistened sufficiently a large acreage of turnips, sorghum and other forage crops have been sown, and in the central and northern sections many gardens have been replanted. Considerable plowing has also been done for wheat, but in most sections the ground is still too hard for breaking. In the southeastern counties there is much complaint that potatoes are rotting.

A. E. HACKETT,
Section Director.

Jell-O, The New Dessert.

pleases all the family. Four Flavors:—Lemon, Orange, Raspberry and strawberry. At your grocers. 10c. Try it to-day.

Old Gorge Graham's Business Philosophy.

Baron Munchausen was the first traveling man, and my drummers' expense accounts still show his influence.

Adam invented all the different ways in which a young man can make a fool of himself, and the college yell at the end of them is just a trill that doesn't change essentials.

It's the fellow who thinks and acts for himself, and sells short when prices hit the high C and the house is standing on its hind legs yelling for more, that sits in the directors' meetings when he gets on toward forty.

Pay day is always a month off for the spendthrift, and he is never able to realize more than sixty cents on any dollar that comes to him. But a dollar is worth one hundred and six cents to a good business man, and he never spends the dollar.

If you gave some fellows a talent wrapped in a napkin to start with in business, they would swap the talent for a gold brick and lose the napkin; and there are others that you could start out with just a napkin who would set up with it in the dry-goods business in a small way and then coax the other fellow's talent into it.

I always lay it down as a safe proposition that the fellow who has to break open the baby's bank for carfare toward the last of the week isn't going to be any Russell Sage when it comes to trading with the old man's money.—From the letters of a self-made merchant to his son, now appearing in The Saturday Evening Post of Philadelphia.

Mr. L. M. Steele

Will be pleased to meet his old friends as usual at the grocery store of
27-1m F. W. MILES.

Plans for the Missouri River.

The annual report of the Missouri River Commission has been received at the war department. For last year the sundry civil act carried \$250,000 to preserve existing improvements and to prevent threatened damage at Rulo, Neb., and other points, and \$146,000 to complete the lock and dam at Osage River, Mo. The commission in its report complains of the inadequacy of appropriations for accomplishing useful results on the Missouri River, or for making progress toward an ultimate improvement. The fact that there is little commerce on the river the commission attributes "entirely to the condition of the river, which is such that it is hazardous to run boats and impossible to obtain insurance at reasonable rates. No commerce of consequence can be expected until the river is put in navigable condition and opened to the mouth."

The completion of the work from the mouth of the river to Jefferson City, the report says, would demand that commerce would spring up and in addition millions would be added to the valley by preventing destruction caused by the river. The commission estimates that this result could be accomplished for \$3,000,000 to \$3,500,000, and recommends \$1,000,000 for this work during the next fiscal year. For the Osage River \$12,300 is recommended.—Jefferson City Republican.